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In re application of: : Group Art Unit: 3676
Mann : Examiner: Boswell, C.J.
Serial No.: 10/060,876 : Date: May 12, 2004
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated November 13, 2003, kindly amend the
above-identified application as follows. A request for extension of time, and the
requisite fee, are enclosed